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**AMENDMENT**

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Sir:

In response to the examiner's action dated August 28, 2006, please amend the application as follows:

**Amendments to the Written Description** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 3 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 8 of this paper.

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**Amendments to the Written Description**

Page 1, on line 3, prior to the heading reading "Field of the Invention" on line 4, please add the following heading and paragraph:

**Cross-Reference to Related Applications**

This is the National Stage entry of International Application No. PCT/EP00/07206, filed July 26, 2000, which claims benefit of foreign priority from German Application No. DE 199 35 028.0.--